

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION**

James R. Thompson Center
IDHS – Murdock Room
100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 5-300
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Meeting of Panel D
September 12, 2012
11:15 a.m.

MINUTES

Present:

Commissioners	Rozanne Ronen Nabi Fakroddin Robert A. Cantone
Staff	Donyelle L. Gray Evelio Mora Bricia Herrera
Public	None

I. Call to Order.

A meeting of Human Rights Commission Panel D was called to order on September 12, 2012, at 11:15 a.m. by Panel Chair Rozanne Ronen.

Pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/1 et seq., it was determined that:

1) A quorum of the public body was present at the meeting.

II. Consideration of Minutes.

The minutes of the meeting of June 13, 2012, were approved as submitted by staff. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

III. Contested Matters

A. *Samuel Danso v. Claremont Nursing Center, Inc.*
Charge No.: 2005CF0636 ALS No.: 06-028

Pending before the Panel were the Complainant's exceptions to the ALJ's Recommended Order and Decision ("ROD"). The Panel voted to decline review of the ROD and voted to adopt the ROD as the final Order and Decision of the Commission. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

B. Theresa Didonna v. Thatcher Woods Associates, Ltd.

Charge No.: 2006CA3112 ALS No.: 07-6541

Pending before the Panel were the Respondent's exceptions to the ALJ's Recommended Order and Decision ("ROD"). The Panel voted to decline review of the ROD and voted to adopt the ROD as the final Order and Decision of the Commission. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

IV. Requests for Review

A. Alonzo R. Kyles v. Lithonia Lighting

Charge No.: 2010CF2076 ALS No.: 11-0239

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

B. Richard W. Ganzer, Jr. v. State of Illinois Secretary of State

Charge No.: 2010CA1759 ALS No.: 11-0240

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

C. Norma Ballado v. JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A.

Charge No.: 2010CF2104 ALS No.: 11-0218

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

D. Rosalind Thompson-Young v. EOS CCA

Charge No.: 2010CA2126 ALS No.: 11-0230

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence and Lack of Jurisdiction. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

E. Charlene Kerwin v. Lincolnway Transportation

Charge No.: 2010CA1590 ALS No.: 11-0217

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

F. Yaroslav S. Sklyarasky v. ABM Janitorial Services, Incorporated
Charge No.: 2009CF3230 ALS No.: 11-0266

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

G. Beugre S. Nehan v. Tootsie Roll Industries
Charge No.: 2010CF0275 ALS No.: 11-0267

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

H. Sharon King v. Tootsie Roll Industries, Incorporated
Charge No.: 2010CF3899 ALS No.: 11-0268

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Jurisdiction. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

I. Constance Jefferson v. Chicago State University
Charge No.: 2009CA0142 ALS No.: 11-0260

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

J. Tina Riley v. Sodexo a/k/a SDH Services West, LLC
Charge No.: 2010CF2734 ALS No.: 11-0270

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 3-0.

K. Joseph Mathers and Edie Mathers v. Marina City Hotel Enterprises
Charge No.: 2010CH2807 ALS No.: 11-0047

The Panel sustained the dismissal of Counts A and B of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. The Panel vacated the dismissal of Count C of the charge and remanded Count C to the Department for further investigation. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Nabi. Motion carried 2-1.

V. Petitions for Default Orders

A. Roy Jackson v. Thomas V. Moore

Charge No.: 2012CH2769

ALS No.: 12-0483

The Panel voted to grant the Petition. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

B. Ashley Davis v. Keith Andrews

Charge No.: 2012CN0851

ALS No.: 12-0484

The Panel voted to grant the Petition. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

C. Lori Flood v. Jose Montoya

Charge No.: 2012CN0644

ALS No.: 12-0495

The Panel voted to grant the Petition. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

VI. Second Motion for Extension of Time

A. Latrice Foules v. Riviera Care Center

Charge No.: 2010CF1565

ALS No.: 12-0366

The Panel voted to deny the Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

VII. Motion for Extension of Time and Motion for Leave to File Request for Review in Excess of 30 Pages

A. Roni Schaffer v. Village of Barrington

Charge No.: 2011CF0591

ALS No.: 12-0463

The Panel voted to grant the Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

VIII. Motion to Voluntarily Withdraw Requests for Review

A. Yevgeniy Kontar v. The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois

Charge No.: 2011SF2752

ALS No.: 11-0687

The Panel voted to grant the Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

B. Jimal D. Hale v. Best Buy

Charge No.: 2009CF4418

ALS No.: 11-0278

The Panel voted to grant the Motion. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

IX. Settlements

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| 1. 2012CH2502 | M. Myneman & P. McGee | 1. The Tudor Gables Building et al. |
| 2. 2012CH3213 | B. Heard | 1. Jeanette Bueger, et al. |

The Panel voted to approve settlements 1 and 2. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

X. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 12:41 p.m. Motion made by Commissioner Nabi, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Donyelle L. Gray
General Counsel